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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Windy.
—Now go crabbing.
—Read all of the new ads.
—Take a reef in the straw hat.
—Road-working begins Monday.
—Bay St. Louis is to have a brass band.
—Next Sabbath will be the fifth Sunday in Lent.
—Be the master of your fortune, and not its slave.
—The air is fragrant with the perfume of orange blossoms.
—The rains last week have improved the gardens very much.
—We had a very heavy rain last Saturday together with some hail.
—Read the trustee's sale in another column, and be prepared to buy.
—Why don't you go crabbing? We understand crabs are becoming plentiful.
—High winds and cool mornings have prevailed here during the past three days.
—Remember the Sunday-school meets at the academy at 3 p. m. All are invited to attend.
—A Methodist church was organized at this place last Sunday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Williams.
—If you want the world's charity never let her know you need it, is a truism worth remembering.
—All the latest and best styles of calicoes can be had at M. A. Dees' for six cents and a half per yard.
—On the 9th of April 1865, Gen. Lee's army surrendered to Gen. Grant. Next Tuesday will be thirteen years ago.
—Ladies' hats, ribbons, trimmings, etc., for sale cheap by Uncle Henry. He invites all to call and examine his stock.
—Business being dull, a crowd congregated at the Sweetgum on the Seashore every day, work puzzles and discuss the subject of the quarantine.
—Last Monday evening an otter came ashore on the front, and there was quite an exciting chase after him. One of the young men at the Seabreeze carried off the prize.
—The scissors grinder was around last week sharpening up dull cutlery. We had our shears whittled, and the way we can clip into our exchanges is lovely to behold.
—With new type and presses, and experienced printers, we are prepared to execute all kinds of book and job work. Send in your orders. Low rates for cash is our motto.
—Now comes the season of the year when the nice young man will begin to rummage around his trunk (if he has one) in search of a last year's linen duster and straw hat.
—A fresh and complete stock of dry goods, boots, shoes, clothing, hats, etc., also groceries just in and for sale at living prices by M. A. Dees. Call early and look at his goods.
—We had a pleasant call this week from Col. A. E. Lewis, the old war horse of democracy of this section. He reports everything on his side of the river as moving along smoothly.
—Lives there a man with purse so low, Who for a suit of clothes can't go To Dees' store and buy their suits From hat and coat clean down to boots!
—On Wednesday King Jones, colored, was arrested and brought before Judge Farragut for violating the concealed weapon law. Owing to the circumstances, the judge let him off by paying the costs.
—When you want a good letter head, bill head, blanks, or any other kind of job work done neatly and in the highest style of the art, call at this office. We will do work as cheap as can be done in New Orleans.
—The public schools at Scranton academy are now in good working order, and everything is moving along smoothly. Up to Wednesday one hundred and two scholars were enrolled. There are several more who will start next Monday.
—George Huggins says Harry Blackman and Taylor Conley are going to open a sand-house one mile east of Bay St. Louis. We bespeak for them unbounded success; as sand is a valuable and expensive commodity in these parts.
—We are in receipt of "Drifting with the Tide," a new and beautiful song and chorus by Will L. Thompson. It is published by W. L. Thompson & Co., East Liverpool, Ohio, but can be purchased of any music dealer for forty cents.
—Deputy marshal Gainey is preparing to leave, and will probably get off Monday. He has been on the coast since last November, being connected with the log-sawing matters, but now that the business is pretty well closed up, his duties are ended.
—Ye knights of the hoe and shovel, look sharp; Mr. R. P. Blalack has issued his proclamation calling upon all side-bodded men to appear in front of the late Dr. Moore's residence Monday morning prepared to work the road from that place to the railroad crossing.

—The customhouse boat was dismantled in the bay last Wednesday. We have not learned the particulars.
—The board of health had a meeting this week, but the secretary has failed to furnish us the proceedings.
—The agricultural, horticultural and mechanical fair will open at Mobile on Monday, 29th inst.
—Our quarantine laws are now in force, and all vessels from ports south of latitude twenty-five arriving here have to report at the quarantine station.
—The public schools of Scranton opened last Monday with Prof. W. P. Carter as principal, Rev. Mr. J. W. Williams first assistant, and Miss Alabama Delmas second assistant.
—On the second page will be found an interesting letter from one of our New Orleans correspondents. He is an old and able journalist, and we highly appreciate his letters. We hope to hear from him often.
—The child's favorite, that excellent little magazine called the *Monthly Reader*, for April, is before us. It is just the paper for the little ones, and is published at fifty cents per year, by John L. Shorey, Boston.
—Dr. C. R. Rencher who has been paying regular professional visits to Moss Point, will be there, again, the 10th of April, prepared to attend to any calls in dentistry. Orders left at Moss Point postoffice, will receive prompt attention.
—We refer parties needing steam engines, mills, machinery or supplies, to the advertisement of H. Dudley Coleman & Bro., 12 Union street, New Orleans, La., they being manufacturers and dealers of well established reputation.
—A chum asked our devil the other day why he had not married before this. "Well, I tell you," he replied; "it is not my fault. It was only last week that I proposed to three different girls, and on comparing notes they each rejected me."
—We heard of a school-teacher recently who marked a pretty girl pupil in one of her studies when her real grade was only six, and wanted her to kiss him as a recompense. We don't say, however, this was one of our Scranton teachers.
—We received the proceedings of the last meeting of the board of supervisors of Harrison county too late for this issue. They will appear next week. Clerk Hewes will accept our thanks for his attentions.
—The new advertisement of Messrs. Schmidt & Ziegler, wholesale grocers and importers of wines and liquors, Nos. 49 to 55 New Levee street, New Orleans, will be found in this issue. This is an old and reliable firm, and our merchants would do well to visit them when in the city.
—A colored man named George Crow, not a son of old Jim Crow, however, at employee on construction train No. 2, New Orleans and Mobile railroad, while coupling cars at the West side, last Friday, had his hand caught between the couplings, and badly mangled it. Dr. Blount amputated two of Crow's fingers.
—A comparatively new and prospectively profitable use is made by Dr. Morange, on the St. John's river, Florida, of the millions of orange blossoms which annually drop from the trees, and are left to decay. He distills from them orange flower water, which is pronounced superior to the generality of toilet perfumeries in use.
—We have received from Messrs. Power & Backsdale, the laws relating to the assessment, collection and payment of the public revenues of the State, with notes and instructions by the auditor. It is in neat pamphlet form and contains much valuable information to county officers and others. Messrs. P. & B. will accept our thanks for the same.
—Our railroad agent, Mr. James Dunlap, has a notice stuck up in the stationhouse to the effect that all who are caught using profane or vulgar language around there will be reported to the justice of the peace and fined. The indiscriminate use of such language on the streets in a boisterous manner is disgraceful, and offenders of the law in this respect should be punished.
—Last Tuesday night a general fight took place at the house of Sam Fisher, an old colored man who lives about a mile above Randall's ferry, on the American road. Wednesday Deputy Sancier made a reconnaissance of the neighborhood, but failed to apprehend the guilty parties. We learn that one man was shot in the back, and that one of the parties was arrested. Dave will work up the case and bring the guilty to justice.
—Notice.
The Hon. Thos. W. Hunt, U. S. Marshal Southern District of Mississippi, will be in Scranton on Friday and Saturday, April 5th and 6th, for the purpose of making settlements with keepers and others employed by him. J. J. GAINES.
—Seashore Camp Ground.
The trustees will meet in full board, on the camp ground, on Thursday, April 15, and the day following, for the transaction of business connected with the interests of the camp ground; laying out new building lots, ordering improvements, and the necessary preparations for the camp-meeting in July next.
All persons desiring lots for building are invited to be present and make selection.
By order of the board.
W. H. FOSTER, President.
PHILIP HALLAHAN, Sec'y.
MAGNOLIA PLANTATION, Parish of Plaquemines, La., Aug. 30, 1877.
Dr. W. L. Jurgelencit:
Dear Sir—Please send a bottle of your Anti-Rheumatic Mixture to Mr. Morris Londerburgh. You know, Doctor, on my last visit to the city, I bought a bottle of medicine which I gave to a man that had been laid up with Rheumatism for six months at Baras Settlement and he is now perfectly cured. I am, respectfully,
L. LOZANO.

OBITUARY.
COOLEY—At Ocean Springs, Miss., March 24, 1878, MRS. SARAH JANE COOLEY.
Mrs. Cooley died of cancer. She was the daughter of Mr. B. Thomas, an esteemed citizen of Ocean Springs. Her husband died at Camp Morton, Indiana, as a prisoner during the late war. She leaves a married daughter (living in Louisiana), and two promising sons, boys for whom she specially prayed during her last illness. She joined a Baptist church in Jasper county years ago, and died with a great hope in Christ, in whom she believed. She said in view of death: "All is bright, all is bright. I am ready and willing to go." J. B. H.
Meteorological Observations
at Dr. Moore's office at the Seashore, Pascagoula, Miss., for the week ending April 3rd, 1878:
Range of Thermometer, Barometer, Etc.
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List of Letters
Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Scranton, Miss., April 1, 1878:
Gillman, Willis
Washburn, Joe (ed)
McCreary, Joanniah
Martin, Mrs. Fannie
Carmichael, John
Preston, Wm.
Leece, John
Franklin, Stephen
Reardon, Mrs. A.
Barnette, Mrs. Mary
S. H. ALLEY, Postmaster.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
Those indebted to the DEMOCRAT Office for Subscription, Advertising and Job Work will please come forward at once and settle. I am anxious to close up the business of the old concern as soon as possible.
Until further notice, I can be addressed at Hardsboro, Miss.
P. K. MAYERS,
Hardsboro, Miss., March 19, 1878.
IMPORTANT.
Those who are indebted to the Star will please settle up as soon as possible, as we want to get the business of the old affair straightened out that we may all start square with the DEMOCRAT-STAR. In his rounds Col. Mayers will call upon all delinquents and we hope they will settle without further notice.
M. B. RICHMOND.
N. Jenkins—For twenty years I have been a great sufferer from inflammatory Rheumatism and Sciatica. During the last four years have taken about twenty bottles of the Annullator. My pains have ceased.
CHARLES T. NASH,
5 Carondelet-st., New Orleans, La.
Price \$1 per bottle. For sale by all druggists. Send for circular, to N. JENKINS & CO., Proprietors, New Orleans, La.
Our Family Bread.
Truly, the most important adulterations to avoid are those which are calculated to injure the "staff of life." Merchants who supply their customers with pure articles like Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, retain their patrons, have a larger trade, and make more money than those who recommend cheap adulterated powders.

New Advertisements.
NEW STORE!
.....
H. M. Cudabac,
.....
MOSS POINT, MISS.
.....
DEALER IN.....
DRY GOODS,
.....
NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES,
.....
HATS, CAPS, CLOTHING,
.....
Groceries, Feed,
.....
Tinware, Hardware, Cutlery,
.....
In fact everything that pertains to a first-class house.
I am now in my NEW STORE, and ask an inspection of my goods by all.
I will not be Undersold.
Royal Havana Lottery!
\$810,000 DRAWN EVERY SEVENTEEN DAYS!
1 Prize.....\$200,000
1 Prize.....10,000
1 Prize.....5,000
2 Prizes of \$10,000 each.....20,000
10 Prizes of 5,000 each.....50,000
124 Prizes of 1,000 each.....124,000
682 Prizes of 500 each.....341,000
\$21 Prizes amounting to Spain.....\$810,000
Information furnished free. Orders filled.
J. SELVAS,
Office near Railroad Exchange, Scranton, Miss.
CHARLES M. CRUZAT,
RETAIL DEALER IN CHOICE FAMILY
GROCERIES,
AND FEEDS OF ALL KINDS,
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,
.....
READY MADE CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,
.....
Whiskies of all kinds,
Cigars and Tobacco.
Wines, Porter and Lager Beer.
SCRANTON, MISS.
April 3, 1877.
A. PINCUS,
Dealer in
CLOTHING, HATS,
.....
Gents' Furnishing Goods.
Corner Royal and Dauphin Streets.
MOBILE, ALA.
Nov. 27, 1877.
John McDonald,
CITY SEAMAN AND
UNDERTAKER,
Nos. 22 and 23 North Conception St., bet. Dauphine and St. Francis Street, opposite Bienville Square.
Mobile, Ala.
The Largest Assortment of
Metallic Caskets & Cases
In this city. Also
Mahogany, Black Walnut and all kinds of Wood Coffins.
And everything connected with a first-class undertaker's establishment. Orders received and promptly attended to at all hours of the night.
Residence upstairs, over office, July 29, 1877.
WM. V. BEROUJON,
(Successor to C. Beroujon)
UNDERTAKER,
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No. 38 St. Emanuel Street bet. Dauphin and Conti
The largest assortment of
Metallic Cases & Caskets.
Also, MAHOGANY, and all kinds of Wood Coffins, and everything connected with a first-class undertaker's establishment. Orders received and promptly attended to at all hours. Night-hall at office, as above, and at residence, No. 275 Dauphin, between Warren and Dearborn streets.
JOHN A. JANSSEN,
FREIGHT BROKER.
62 Beaver St.....New York.
Orders for timber vessels to arrive promptly attended to.
Tailor Shop,
LANEUSE ST., BILOXI, MISS.
F. CARAU,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
Will keep on hand a small stock of ready made clothing.
May 15, 1878.
H. LIENHARD,
HANDSBORE, MISSISSIPPI,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
Rough and Dressed Lumber.
Large supply always on hand. Also, Cypress fence and arbor Posts, by any quantity they may be wanted. Also good Heart Shingles. Chaired by the barrel or sack for sale.
April 17, 1877.
Nelson House,
JACKSON, MISS.
This house is located at the Rail Road Depot, is well furnished and gives the best of fare and unexceptionable attention. A share of the public patronage is solicited.
JOHN NELSON, Proprietor.
Nov. 25, 1876.

Charles Nelson,
—DEALER IN—
Ale, Porter and Western Lager Beer.
CANDIES, NUTS, FRUITS, ETC.,
MOSS POINT, Near Randall's Ferry, Miss.
June 29, 1877-ly.
New Store! New Goods!
M. V. B. CAREY.....J. W. LATRENDISE.
CAREY & LAURENDINE,
Near Railroad Depot
Scranton, Miss.
We announce to the public that we have just opened at Scranton a new and
Well-Selected Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, SHOES, HATS, CLOTHING, Etc.
Also Groceries, Canned Goods, Tinware, Hardware, Corn, Oats, Bran, and everything connected with a First-Class Store, which will be sold low down for the cash.
Also Wines, Liquors, Ale, etc. Give us a call and see for yourselves.
Nov. 23-77-ly.
THE SEA-BREEZE Exchange,
PASCAGOULA, MISS.
R. P. & J. S. Blalack, Prop'rs.
The most complete and thoroughly equipped establishment in the city. The very purest and choicest DOMESTIC and IMPORTED Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Whisky, Champagne, Ale, Beer, Porter, Stout, Cordials, Mineral Water, etc., kept constantly on hand.
No better or purer liquors can be obtained. Visit the Sea Breeze and see for yourself.
Oct. 12-77-ly.
SELLING AT COST!!
I hereby notify the PUBLIC that I will dispose of my entire stock of
DRY GOODS,
HATS,
SHOES,
CLOTHING,
HARDWARE,
TINWARE,
CROCKERY, Etc.
At COST FOR CASH!
A good stock of Groceries and Feed on hand which I offer at BOTTOM PRICES for Cash.
All parties indebted to me will please call and settle at once.
E. T. ROGERS.
Moss Point, Jan'y 8, 1878.
HAND & BLUMER'S
FOUNDRY,
Moss Point, Miss.
IRON, BRASS FOUNDERS
—AND—
MACHINISTS,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Steam Engines, Gang and Circular Saw Mills,
GRATES, BARS, SASH, WEIGHTS, Etc.
Associated with us, is Mr. J. HILLING-WORTH, a first-class BOILER MAKER, SHEET-IRON WORKER and BLACKSMITH.
Orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.
Sept. 7, 1877-ly
Mississippi
BOOT & SHOE FACTORY,
A. BLUMER, Proprietor.
MOSS POINT, MISSISSIPPI.
DOGS AND SHOES AT WHOLESALE.
Having recently enlarged my facilities, and added the latest and most improved machinery to my factory, I am now prepared to manufacture BOOTS & SHOES in ALL STYLES AND IN ANY QUANTITY, and sell to the trade at WHOLESALE RATES as low as any house in the South. I assure the public that all leather used in the manufacture of my Boots and Shoes is OAK-TANNED, and of the best quality. Inspection of my goods is solicited by grade, as I guarantee satisfaction as to quality of work and price.
Dry Goods, Etc.
I also keep on hand a full supply of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, Etc. Particular attention is directed to the
Millinery Stock,
of Mrs. BLUMER, where can be found all the LATEST STYLES of
Ladies' Hats, Bonnets,
TRIMMINGS, RIBBONS, EMBROIDERY, ETC.
I also keep on hand all kinds of SEWING MACHINES, Needles and Oil, which I will sell at New Orleans prices.
Moss Point, Miss., Oct. 25, 1877.
Post Office Exchange,
RIGHT P. BLALACK, Proprietor,
(South side Railroad)
Scranton, Miss.
The best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS always on hand. Customers accommodated any hour, day or night.
July 15

C. T. IRVING,
Moss Point, Miss.,
INVITES THE ATTENTION OF MASTERS AND OWNERS OF VESSELS TO HIS
MARINE SLIP & SHIPYARD,
Where close attention, good work, the best of material, quick dispatch, the lowest rates, and easy terms are always to be found.
July 8, 1877. 24-ly
JUST RECEIVED!!
New Goods!
New Goods!
Lower Prices
Lower Prices
THAN EVER!
UNCLE HENRY AT M. A. DEES'
Has just returned from the Cities with a full line of
NEW SPRING GOODS
of all kinds, and will sell them at LOWER PRICES than such goods were ever sold in this market. Will sell the best prints made, for 6¢ CENTS PER YARD, and all other Cotton and Dress Goods equally as low.
Goods were never so cheap as now; Batchelor Brogans, from \$1.25 to \$1.50—other shoes according.
LADIES' HATS TRIMMED & UNTRIMMED AT THE LOWEST PRICES.
GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING,
At Rock Bottom Prices!
He will have no trouble to sell goods to any who will once examine his stock of
Spring and Summer Goods.
He has no old stock on hand, as all who have been in the store in the last four weeks, will testify to the fact that the old stock had been sold out cleaner than ever before known in any store in this country; and this is an evidence that all his selections are well-made.
Mr. H. W. Moore
Will attend to all the business of my Store at Scranton, while I am carrying on my Milling business at Fernland, Alabama; and will contract to furnish and deliver in New Orleans, Mobile and Pascagoula, all kinds of Pine Lumber, Timber and Round Piling, at the lowest prices.
M. A. DEES.
THE MOBILE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Assets, \$625,724 45.
Issues Life Policies on all the Approved and at the Lowest Rates, also Accident Policies.
Every one, whether traveling or not, should have a Yearly General Accident Policy. Send to the Home Office for circulars giving a full explanation of the advantage of Accident Insurance, or call on
L. N. DANTZLER, Agent,
Scranton, Miss.
March 22, 1877-6m
I STILL LIVE!!
DR. CHIDSEY
STILL CONTINUES TO CARRY ON THE DRUG AND MEDICINE BUSINESS.
At his old stand on Pascagoula street, south of the railroad track, near S. R. Thompson's store, informs physicians, the community in general, and the rest of mankind, that he has had FORTY YEARS EXPERIENCE in the compounding of Medicines, and assures all those who may favor him with their patronage, that their Medicines shall be carefully and accurately put up. Medical advice given, and no charge except for medicine. Persons wishing Medicine in the night can be accommodated by calling at his residence, next door to the store. His medicines are received fresh every two weeks.
July 8, 1877. 1y
W. S. DODSON,
SHIP CHANDLER,
AND DEALER IN
Groceries, Dry-Goods and Medicines,
AND A GENERAL STOCK OF SUCH ARTICLES AS ARE USUALLY FOUND IN COUNTRY STORES.
Medicine Chests Filled and Prescriptions Carefully put up.
Pascagoula, Miss.
December 1, 1877. 1-7
DR. PRICE'S
Cream Baking Powder
Special Flavoring Extracts
Eminent Chemists and Physicians certify that these goods are free from adulteration, richer, more effective, produce better results than any others, and that they use them in their own families.
DR. PRICE'S Unique Perfumes are the Gems of all Odors. Toothpaste, an exquisite Liquid Dentifrice.
USE STEELE & PRICE'S LUPULIN YEAST CEMS.
STEELE & PRICE, Mfrs., Chicago, St. Louis & Cincinnati.
November 24, 1877. 24-ly